Dispensary at Mannar.

55. *Mr. K. G. Narayana Panickar (*Mavelikara and Tiruvalla* cum *Pattanamtitta*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there have been representations to open a Dispensary at Mannar in Tiruvalla taluk; and

(*b*) whether Government intend to open a Dispensary there in the near future?

Dr. S. John: (*a*) No.

(*b*) No.

Mr. K. G. Narayana Panickar: May I know from the honourable member whether there was no cut motion in the other House to urge upon this?

Dr. S. John: Yes, Sir.

Mr. K. G. Narayana Panickar: May I know whether the Government will enquire and ascertain whether there is any necessity?

Dr. S. John: Government will consider.

Malarial Hospital at Aryanad.

56. *Mr. K. Shahul Hameed: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have any idea of discontinuing the Malarial Hospital at Aryanad; and

(*b*) whether they would convert the Malarial Hospital into a regular Government Hospital in view of the fact that there are no Hospitals anywhere within an area of seventy square miles?

Dr. S. John: (*a*) There is no idea at present to discontinue the Malaria Dispensary at Aryanad.

(*b*) There is no necessity to convert this dispensary into a hospital since the Government Hospital at Nedumangad is only about 10½ miles away from Aryanad.

Mr. K. Shahul Hameed: Is the answer meant to suggest that Government are not convinced of the necessity for a hospital at Aryanad?

Dr. S. John: They are convinced of the necessity for a dispensary only.

Ayurveda Hospitals.

57. *Mr. K. C. Chandy: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement giving the names and addresses of the recognised Ayurveda Hospitals in the State, the names of the Managers thereof, the number of free beds maintained in each hospital, and the amounts of yearly grant-in-aid given to each?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker (*Secretary to Government*): A *statement furnishing the available information is laid on the table. The rules do not insist on the maintenance of free beds in grant-in-aid Ayurveda Hospitals.

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Mr. K. C. Chandy: My question was to give me a statement containing the names and addresses of the recognised Ayurveda Hospitals in the State etc. A statement of grant-in-aid Ayurveda hospitals alone is given. Am I to understand that besides these, there are no recognised Ayurveda hospitals?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker: The member wanted information only in regard to recognised Ayurveda hospitals. There are three categories of these, Government hospitals, Government recognised hospitals and Government recognised dispensaries.

Mr. K. C. Chandy: In respect of the Government recognised hospitals, is the statement right?

President: There are four hospitals.

Mr. K. C. Chandy: May I know whether in addition to these there are any hospitals?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker: There are two Government hospitals also.

Hospitals and Dispensaries.

58. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of Government Hospitals and Dispensaries working in the State during 1119;

(*b*) the number inspected by the Surgeon General during 1119;

(*c*) the number of patients treated in 1119;

(*d*) the percentage of death among the patients; and

(*e*) the total number of beds in the Hospitals and Dispensaries in 1119?

Dr. S. John: (*a*) Hospitals 32
Dispensaries 82

(*b*) All the Hospitals and Dispensaries were inspected by the Surgeon General.

(*c*) and (*d*) The information is being collected.

(*e*) 3182.

Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: ആശുപത്രികളും പരിശോധിച്ച കൂട്ടത്തിൽ ജനറൽ ആശുപത്രിയുംകൂടി ഉൾപ്പെട്ടതണ്ടോ?

Dr. S. John: ഉണ്ട്.

Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: പുതിയ വ്യവസ്ഥകളും എർപ്പെടുത്തിയതിനശേഷം പരിശോധിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

Dr. S. John: പരിശോധിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്.

Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: അത് ഇപ്പോൾ കൃത്യമായിട്ടുണ്ടെന്നു ബോധ്യപ്പെട്ടിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

Dr. S. John: ബോധ്യപ്പെട്ടിട്ടുണ്ട്.

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Public Service Commissioner.

62. *Mr. A. N. Satyanesan: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the Public Service Commissioner's Department has been made permanent;

(*b*) if not, whether Government intend to do so;

(*c*) whether the Department is to continue its present system of work and procedure; and

(*d*) if the answer to (*c*) is in the negative when the reorganisation of the Department will be taken in hand?

Mr. S. N. Ure: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) In view of the answer to Part (*a*) this does not arise.

(*c*) & (*d*) It is expected that the rules for working the system will be shortly reviewed.

Appendix I.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 57.**

Statement of grant-in-aid Ayurveda Hospitals in the State showing the names of the Managers thereof and the amount of grant-in-aid given to each.

S. No.	Institution.	Name of Manager.	Yearly grant.
1	Ayurveda Hospital, Quilon	Mr. N. Kunjuraman	Rs. 600
2	Do. Kilimannoor	Mr. N. Sankaran Potti	Rs. 600
3	Do. Nagercoil	Mr. B. Nilacantan	Rs. 600
4	Sidha Marma Hospital, Kattathura	Mr. K. Kunjupilla Asan	Rs. 480

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